VIA CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

May 7, 2012

Mr. Jerry R. Anderson (Address withheld) (Address withheld)

Re:

EB-12-GB-0108

Amateur Radio License KC9NPS

Warning Notice

Dear Mr. Anderson:

The trustee of W1IDX has requested, by letter dated February 13, 2012, that you refrain from use of his repeater. The written request was issued as a result of your failure to follow operational rules set forth by the licensee/control operators of the repeater system for their users. You were previously issued a verbal request on January 31, 2012, to refrain from using the system, but were heard again on the repeater on February 5th and February 12th. The trustee then sent you the February 13th letter confirming that you were to refrain from using his repeater. On April 5, 2012, you were again heard on the W1IDX repeater necessitating the request of the repeater owner for Commission intervention.

The Commission requires that repeaters be under the supervision of a control operator and not only expects, but requires, that such control operators be responsible for the proper operation of the repeater system. Control operators may take whatever steps they deem appropriate to ensure compliance with the repeater rules, including limiting the repeater use to certain users, converting the repeater to a closed repeater or taking it off the air entirely.

Please be advised that the Commission expects you to abide by the request of the control operator that you stay off of W1IDX – and any other similar requests to cease operations on any other repeaters by any other repeater licensees, control operators or trustees.

Use of W1IDX again after receipt of this letter could subject you to severe penalties, including license revocation, monetary forfeiture (fine)¹ or a modification proceeding to restrict the frequencies upon which you may operate.

Sincerely,

Laura L. Smith, Esq. Special Counsel Enforcement Bureau

Cc: Chicago Field Office
Northeast Regional Director

¹ Fines normally range from \$7,500 to \$10,000.